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Chancellor McCrimmon,

McMaster University,

Toronto.

Dear Chancellor McCrimmon:

I am enclosing herewith the regulations regarding "The War and The Schools". Will you kindly let me know at your early convenience whether you consent to the publication as it stands, or whether you desire changes made ? As far as we are concerned we have no changes to recommend.

Yours sincerely,

President.

May 28th, 1917

Chancellor McCrimmon,

McMaster University, Toronto.

My dear Chancellor McCrimmon:

I regret very deeply that by an oversight an invitation was not sent to you to be present at the Convocation which was held for Mr. Balfour on Saturday. I was in Ottawa most of the week, and though on my return I did go over the full list of those who had especial invitations I must accept the blame for having overlooked your name. I hope, however, that some of your staff may have got tickets along with the public on application at the Registrar's Office. It would have been a pleasure to send some to you had the matter not escaped my attention altogether.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

THE CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE
McMASTER UNIVERSITY
TORONTO

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President Falconer,
Univ of Toronto, Toronto,

My Dear Mr. President,

It was very good of you to take the trouble to refer to the oversight respecting the Convocation hood for Mr. Balfour. I was away from the city and your letter was forwarded to me. It is needless to say that I appreciate your courtesy in writing.

This also gives me the opportunity of pointing out to you a procedure of which I know you cannot be aware. Rarely, if ever, do I receive an invitation to the Public Functions of the University of Toronto, in the form in which it should come to the Head of a separate University. Your good officials seem to be content to regard us as an affiliated college. It may be unfortunate that we are not so related, but these facts are facts. I did not know how to refer to the matter but such reference should be misinterpreted. Your letter has given me the opportunity of reluctantly making the reference.

Yours truly, A. H. U. Colquhoun

June 5th, 1917

Chancellor McCrimmon,

McMaster University.

Dear Chancellor McCrimmon:

I have spoken to Mr. Bretner with regard to your complaint as to the way in which invitations are sent to McMaster University. I do not need to assure you that whatever has been done in the way that you complain of has been entirely unintentional. Mr. Bretner does not know just what was done. I assume that an invitation should be sent to the "Chancellor of McMaster University". If you will kindly let me know where there has been an error made we will do our best to rectify it ?

Yours sincerely,

President.